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TORU KOIZUMI

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Examiner: C. Kao

Filed: October 4, 2000

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For: SOLID-STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE
AND IMAGE PICKUP SYSTEM (As
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The changes to the specification begin at page 2. The claim amendments are reflected in the listing that begins at page 3. The remarks begin at page 6.

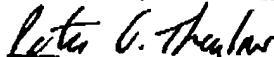
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